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U. S. Investigators Assert Discovery of Long-Continued Thievery.

GOVERNMENT PROPERTY TOLEN RIGHT AND LEFT

Justice Operators Unable to Get Evidence Until They Participate in Acts.

Quantities of Material Hauled Away From Navy Yard by Conspirators.

[By Associated Press] EW YORK, Dec. 20.—Details of Hered big conspiracy to loot the oklyn navy base were revealed

Brennan consulted Police Com-missioner Enright and borrowed the services of Detective Francis Trainor.

Had to Steal to Get Evidence. Under the direction of Federal Under the direction of Federal Agents Robert Walsh and Ralph Navarro and Trainor, men were put into the warehouses as checkers, la-borers, watchmen and bookkeepers. These detectives found themselves watched narrowly until they took advantage of opportunities obviously put in their way, of stealing small articles, such as wrist watches and marine glasses. Not until they ac-

ACTION ON ATTORNEY APPOINTMENT BLOCKED

(Continued on Page 2, Col. 2.)

[By Associated Press.]
WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Action by the Senate on the nomination of Pierce Butler, St. Paul attorney, to be an Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court, was blocked again today by an objection to consideration. to consideration. Senator Norris, Re-publican, Nebraska, was understood to have entered the objection, but Chairman Nelson of the Judiciary Committee, was said to have served notice that he would call up the

Senator Heflin Would Have Recalled Harvey

[By Universal Service.] WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Com-centing upon Ambassador George Harvey's recent speech in London in which he questioned whether woman possesses a soul. Senator Hoffin, of Alabama, in the Senate oday declared:
"If I had been President when Harvey made that statement I would have recalled him by

would have recailed him cable."
"Why not simply dismiss him and let him stay there?" inquired Caraway, of Arkansas.
"Well I would have done it in the way that would humiliate him most," Heffin replied.

Officials Called On by Congressman Upshaw to Set Proper Example.

PUSSYFOOTING" SCORED

Prohibition Advocate De mands Officeholders Stand By Whole Constitution.

[By Associated Press.] WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—High overnment officials, Governors, adges and members of Congress

Urges Dry Proclamation

Mr. Upshaw urged that the President issue 'a ringing Christmas proc dict liquor at any dinner, at any function, or in any, ball room or iny back alley.

Laugh at "Pronuclamento."

Declaring the "plain people" laugh t high-sounding pronunciamentos ecause they believed that many igh officials believed in that alutin' autocracy which claims the rivilege of buying and drinking il cit liquors themselves, while deny ig the privilege to the poor devil own among the masses who are colish enough to want the opportu ity to buy and drink illicit liqui (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1.)

STORM WARNING BULLETIN ISSUED

eather Bureau today issued the fol-Ceather Bureau today issued the fol-owing storm warning: "Advisory 4 P. M. Northeast storm carnings displayed Charleston, S. C. o Delaware Breakwater, Disturb-nce central near Tampa, will move apidly Northwestward, attended by trong winds and probably gales to-tight."

Bonar Law Now "Grandpa," [By Universal Service.] LONDON, Dec. 20.—Premier Bonar became a grandfather for the

rst time tonight. o Lady Sykes, the Premier's daugh

TO RETURN TO MOVIE INDUSTRY Will Hays, Head of Filmdom, Announces Ban Removed Against Actor, Effective January 1, Asserting His Conduct Exemplary Since His Trial.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 20.—Roscoe
Arbuckle, rotund comedian, barred
from the screen since last April because of the encounter with the law,
was today restored to the privilege
of coming back to the place once
occupied in the industry, if he ceft.
Will H. Hays, head of the picture
industry, announced that all restrictions against the actor were to end tions against the actor were to end

January 1.

The Pamous Players-Larky Corporation, which distributed Arbuckle's pictures, announced that no effort would be made at present to market of the films that were withdrawn, or others that were never released, within the industry. I hope we can be start the new year with no yesteror the films that were withdrawn, or others that were never released. Woseph Schenck, producer, said he would employ Arbuckle, and the latter said he was thankful for the chance to work and would strive to make good.

Mr. Havs tagend

that Roscoe Arbuckle's conduct since his trouble merits that chance. So far as I am concerned, there will be no suggestion now that he should

TURK AND ALLIED DELEGATES RELAX

New Spirit of Conciliation Displaces "Ultimatum" Atmosphere.

LAUSANNE NOW SEES PACT NEAR AT HAND

American Declaration International Commission Unnecessary Proves Helpful.

a for Individual and Collective Assurance That Turkey's Terri-tory Will Be Safeguarded.

[By Associated Press.].
LAUSANNE, Dec. 20.—Both Turksh and allied delegations relaxed in heir attitude today and discussed outrol of the straits in such a conditatory spirit that there is every indication some sort of straits oneyentless may be a such as the convention may be a such as the convention of the conventio

cary undoubtedly hore fruit, as Lord Curzon gave careful attention to ismet Pasha's piea that Turkey would consider international interference with Turkey's affairs as "worse than death." An agreement likely will be reached exempting the iemilitarized zone along the straits rom control by the proposed international commission which will have jurisdiction only over rayigation of

Urges Another Guarantee, net Pasha also pleaded for fur-guarantees for the safety of Constantinople than those which would be afforded by the league of nations and proposed additional guarantees similar to those given to the Aland Islands. He insisted that Turkey must have further assurances from the important powers individually and collectively that her territory will not be violated. He accepted in principle the fundamental provisions for control of the straits outlined by the allies, but bleaded that Turkey must have her vereign rights thoroughly safe-

Hayashi, M. Spalikovitch and other peakers expressed great satisfaction (Continued on Page 3, Col. 5.)

GIVE SANITY TESTS TO AUTO DRIVERS WHO SHOW SPEED

Detroit Judge Determined to - Put an End to Reckless Driving.

[By Associated Press.]
DETROIT, Inc. 20.—Declaring his sellef that persons who speed in ausomobiles, thereby endangering the ives of others, "either are weak-ninded or are wilful wrong-doers," its order's today of the selections of the selection of the selectio

"If the speeders are found to be weakminded they will receive treatment usually accorded such unfor-tunates; if they are not weakminded they will receive heavy jail sen-tences, being classed with other criminals." the judge said.

Fatalities from street accidents, so far this year total 172, against 37 for the entire year, 1921.

A woman motorist was the first to

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—To permit sen) abysicians to use their discretion in at physicians to use their discretion of prescribing liquors would be to defeat the purposes of the Voistead act, feat the purposes of the Voistead act, Assistant United States Attorney Assistant United States are declared in answers to Clark today declared, in answers to actions brought by Dr. Samuel W. Lambert and Edward and James Burke, Ltd., makers of guiness stout, designed to raise additional questions as to the constitutionality of certain provisions of the prohibition enforcement law. tion enforcement law.

Dr. Lambert's suit attacked the provision of the law limiting the quantity of alcoholic liquor a physician may subscribe to a patient within a given time. He maintained that Correct on the correct of t that Congress was going beyond its constitutional powers in directing a practicing physician in good stand-ing how much or what kind of ma-terials he should prescribe, Dr. Lam. bert said this part of the prohibition law put Congress in the position of practicing medicine.

Chiengo Brenks Postal Record. CHICAGO, Dec. 20 .- Proof of the Christmas mail rush was seen here today when Arthur C. Lueder, post-master, announced that the Chicago

MYSTERY STILL HIDES SENDING OF LOUISIANA TROOPS TO MER ROUGE

HOSTILE ATTITUDE
Believe Guardsmen Will Drag Lakes to Find Bodies of by Hooded Kidnapers.

M. Parker yesterday afternoon, tonight continued to remain a mystery
to all except a handful of officials.

The passing of the day falled to
a position to speak would say nothing. The Governor, Attorney-General and others remained in rigid
silience.

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to afford protection to an expert THREE EFFORTS FAIL

Say Men En Route to Lakes.

Close observers offered the opinion
Two of the victims, Watts Daniels
the men were en route to one of and Thomas Richards, failed to re

U. S. OUTCLASSED DROP DAUGHERTY BY BRITISH NAVY CHARGES, IS RUMOR

Situation in Considering Appropriations.

Guns 30,000 Yards, as

Against 20,000. [By Universal Service.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Senator
Coindexter, defeated at the last election for approxing the four-power

Death of the country of the on for approving the four-power acific treaty, with Senator Swanson of Virginia, and Senator Hale, of Maine, today voted as a subcommit-

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Relative fighting efficiency of British and American battleships, particularly at iong range, were understood today to have been called sharply to the at-

The effect of the British post-war in the first persons who speed in authomobiles, thereby endangering the lives of others, "either are weak, minded or are wilful wrong-doers, lett, announced today that all convicted speeders would be given a sanity test before Dr. A. J. Jacoboy, its psychiatrist.

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A rough estimate of the cost nodernizing American ships modernizing American ships in the same way, so far as increasing gun elevations and strengthening decks is concerned, is approximately \$60,000,000. In the Buitsh program as much as \$4,600,000 is said to have been expended on a single ship.

When naval estimates were under consideration in the bedge returned. get and in committee, but there are indications that more urgent representations are being made to the Sen-

Change from coal to oil fuel is of change from coal to oil fuel is of vital importance in widening the ef-fective radius of action of the ships, it was explained by naval officials while substitution of five-inch anti-aircraft batteries means using shells (Continued on Page 2, Col 1.)

SENATE CONFIRMS ROSE'S NOMINATION

[By Associated Press.]
WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The
nomination of Judge John C. Rose
to be Circuit Judge of the Fourth
Circuit. which includes the States of
West Virginia, Maryland, Virginia
and South Carolina, was confirmed
today by the Senate. The nomination falled of confirmation at the
recent special session. Congress Passes Third Supply Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Congressional action was completed today on the \$33,000,000 appropriation bill for the departments of State and Justice ously in the A. C. L. wr and the measure sent to the Presi-dent, the third supply bill to be formation received here. postoffice established a world's rec-ord for the volume of mail handled in a single day by one postoffice, which began December 13. This would employ Arbuckle, and the latter said he was thankful for the chance to work and would strive to make good.

Mr. Hays issued a brief statement saying he felt every man was on
We would employ Arbuckle, and the latter and yesters in a single day by one postoffice. Postal employes, he said, counted and 1,573.3 tons of second, third and fourth-class matter, mostly parcel post.

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Senate Committee Told of Believe Committee Will Recommend Impeachment Evidence Is Lacking.

STRESS "LONG RANGE" END PUBLIC HEARINGS

Maximum Distance of English Last Open Discussion Takes Place Today-Report After Holidays.

evidence on which to base an peachment proceeding. The report will not be mude, nowever, until after the Christmas holidays because of the absence of members from Washington, during that time.

allegations in the specifica drawn by Representative Keller

district attorney at New York, went not details concerning the various cases showing which ones had been

PALMETTO LIMITED

[By Associated Press.] JACKSONVILLE, FLA., Dec. 20— Two Pullmans of Atlantic Coast Line train No. 83, southbound, were reported to have turned over at Al-lenhurst. Ga., near Waycross, to-night. Reports reaching here said no one was seriously injured.

around 7 o'clock. Reports here said hence, the train split a switch and that a had been dispatched from Savannah. No One Seriously Hurt. JESUP, GA., Dec. 26.-

SENATE DEADLOCK IS TIGHTER AFTER FIVE-HOUR DEBATE

Unable to Reach Agreement for Vote on Displacing Ship Bill.

TO HAVE TIME FIXED

Farm Credits Friends and Subsidy Foes Together Tie Up Subsidy Measure.

SENATORS EVENLY DIVIDED

osing Groups in Upper House Each So Strong As to Make Action Difficult.

[By Associated Press]
WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Plye hours of debate and parliamentary maneuvering in the Senate today served only to tighten the deadlock which has existed for three days become and simost equal.

frankly pessimistic over the possi-bility of a vote within several weeks upon the ship bill. General belief was expressed that the Christmas proposals along this line, influential

Jones Takes Initiative.

WILL PAINT TROLLEYS

Collisions Between Vehicles and Street Cars Head

If was recitated Press. It was the police man been a details concerning the various construction of the season which ones had been (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2.)

ALMETTO LIMITED

WRECKED IN GEORGIA

If was recitated Press. It was here late last night in an exchange of pistol shots after the policeman attempted to break up a street quarter. The president of the construction of a decise received in Italian quarters here, for the construction of a cable between Genoa and the Azores as the first link of a line that eventually will connect Italy with South America. connect Italy with South America The Genoa-Azores line will cost \$6.

The Italian government also had contracted for construction of the western end of the transatiantic connection, which is to terminate the coast of Argentina or Brazil, but The train, known as the Palmetto cause it was found impracticable to Limited, en route from New York to Florida, was reported to have been running two hours' late, which would make its departure from Sayannah ing both links at once. It now is expected that work on the western link will be started about a year

Kills Two Holdup Men.
TERRE HAUTE, IND., Dec. 20,--Frederick Cleveland and Grover Smith, said to have police records, were shot and killed carly today, while attempting to holdup Ollie 20.--Forty persons were injured, none seri-ously in the A. C. L. wreck at Al-lenhurst tonight, according to in-of this city. Cleveland was killed inof this city. Cleveland was killed in-stantly and Smith died two hours la-

Bandits Hold Up Bank; Escape With \$5,000

and escaped with \$5,000.

One bamilt, who was dressed as a woman, was shot by John Keilman, a grocer, and apparently mortally wounded. His compan-

ago in the same manner by ban-dits who got away with \$12,500.
William Gettler, a bookkeeper, was alone in the bank at 3 P. M. today when the man in woman's clothes entered and covered him with a revolver, then signalled to the other two, who came in and

As the trio turned to run to their automobile, Gettler stepped on a burglar alarm and merchants along the street armed themselves

TO PAY FULL DEBT OVER LONGER TIME

Great Britain Will Ask U. S. Commission to Fix Easter

SEEKS NO REDUCTION

Harvey Leaves London Saturday for America to Confer With Hughes.

[By Associated Press.]

BRIGHT ORANGE HUE quarter that there is no inkiling of a suggestion in the minds of the officials on either side of the ocean, and that the whole debt will even-

PROSECUTION WILL **ASK BAIL BE DENIED** POLLARD AND WEST

Preliminary Hearing Saturday Probably Will Be Brief, Say Police.

WILL OFFER EVIDENCE ADDUCED AT INQUEST

Mrs. Beck, "Other Woman," Denies Statements Attributed to Her.

JACKSON, TOO, ENTERS DENIAL

ported State Will Introduce Wit-ness Who Will Testify He Saw

diminary hearing of the case of Thomas Pollard, charged with killing Mrs. Thelma Richardson, will be brief. Both Pollard and J. Mosby West, who is charged with being an accessory, will be arraigned in Po-lice Court Saturday morning. Prac-tically the same evidence adduced at the coroner's inquest will be preent-ed at the preliminary hearing, ac-cerding to the police, who assert they are prepared to offer additional tes-timony at the proper time.

Commonwealth's Attorney Satter-field said yesterday, that a motion will be made in Police Court that no ball be allowed either Pollard or on contemplated making a more rastic move in the case, but no in-rmation could be obtained at that ne as to whether efforts would

and West was liberated after fur-bishing \$500 security. Both men were released at the Second Precinct Police Station soon after they were arrested by Lieutenant R. L. Bryant and Detective-Sergeant W. E. Way-

J. R. Jackson Makes Denial.

[Ry Associated Press.]
SEATTLE, WASH., Dec. 20.—Fares on the municipal car system having been reduced to 5 cents from \$1.3 cents, effective March 1. Seattle officials are laboring to educate the public to ride more.

Pressul respues according to of-

Present revenues, according to ofriders must use the cars after the fare is reduced, it is estimated.

CLEMENCEAU SAYS U. S. TRIP LAST CHAPTER IN HIS CAREER

Tells Interviewer He Has Not Objected to French Occupation of Ruhr District, but Fears German Strikes Will Result-Reaches His Home in Paris.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—Georges Clementocau, France's noted war-time Premier, returned to Paris today from a his views of what had been accomthirty-nine-day trip to the United States. He brought back with him what he termed the happy remembrance that the people of America still love France, and also two boxes of grapefruit, which he declared would contribute to his lorgevity.

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Last Chapter of His Career. He added that for him his journey was the chapter that ended his career. He said he was moved by the sense of fatigue which sooner

Boat Service to Baltimore, \$3.00—
York River Line—\$3.00. Save time and Joney. Travel while you sleep. Fast connecting train to West Point. Southern Railway, \$09 East Main St. Phone Madison 272,—Adv.

Upon him.

Given No Official Welcome.
No official welcome awaited Clemenceau, either at Havre, where he landed this morning from the Steamer of intermust terminate his interest in the influences of earthly matters; like a true Frenchman, he was yearner or large for the quick peace of softude.

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